Waste Management Seattle CKD

SHARP Report — Part 1 of 2



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 SHARP rating 	Low		ERTS	none
 SHARP date 	02/26/2025		CSID	17173
 EJFlagged? 	🖌 – No Override		FSID	47666565
• LD confidence level	low		VCP	none
 Cleanup milestone 	remedial investigation		UST ID	none
SHARPster	Cecilia Henderson		LUST ID	none

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SHARP Media	Scores	Confidence	Additional Factors	
Indoor air	D4	high	multiple chemical types	\otimes
Groundwater	C3	medium	risk to off-site people	\otimes
Surface water	D4	high	climate change impacts	\otimes
Sediment	D4	high	plant/animal tissue data	\otimes
Soil	C2	medium		

Location and land use info

7901 1st Ave S, Seattle, King County, 98106 Primary parcel 3124049001 Land use commercial

Responsible unit NWRO

Sources reviewed

2007, Partial Sufficiency and Further Action Determination, Ecology 2006, Supplemental Investigation Report, Environmental Partners, Inc.



Primary census tract	Associated census tracts		
53033011300	none		

Local demographics comments

no comments

Source/source area description

The site is currently a commercial warehouse facility, and previously operated as a fuel service station and recyclable materials collection and sorting facility. The site is located in a commercial and industrial area. The site is bordered by SW Kenyon St to the north, 1st Ave S to the east, a commercial building with paved parking area to the south, and a retail fuel service station and Waste Management industrial facility to the west.

In the 1970s, an estimated 20,00 cubic yards of cement kiln dust (CKD) fill was deposited on a majority of the site area. Metals impacts first evaluated and identified in 2005 related to historic placement of cement kiln dust (CKD) fill material on site.

Soil comments

Most recent soil samples collected in 2006. Soil samples collected in 2006 reported total arsenic and lead above cleanup levels between one and seven feet bgs; these contaminants were considered related to CKD fill. Extent of CKD impacts not evaluated for potential off-property impacts. Reports mention potential area-wide CKD fill issue. Entire site is paved and fenced.

Groundwater comments

Most recent groundwater sampling data from 2006; concentrations of metals (antimony, arsenic, cadmium, lead, mercury, and thallium as total and/or dissolved metals) reported above MTCA Method A cleanup levels; these impacts were considered related to CKD fill. Extent of groundwater impacts not fully delineated.



Surface water comments

No surface water on site. The Duwamish Waterway is located approximately 0.5 miles northeast (downgradient) of the site.

Sediment comments

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Indoor air comments

No vapor intrusion concerns.

Additional factors comments

no comments



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Site history

In the 1970s, an estimated 20,00 cubic yards of CKD fill was deposited on a majority of the site area. In 1979, the current site commercial building was constructed.

Between 2005 and 2006, four quarters of groundwater monitoring events included sample analysis for total and dissolved metals for evaluation of potential CKD impacts. Concentrations of antiomy, arsenic, cadmium, lead, mercury, and thallium (as total and/or dissolved metals) were detected in groundwater exceeding applicable cleanup levels.

In 2006, 13 soil borings and one additional groundwater montioring well were installed to characterize CKD fill material historically used on site. Concentrations of total arsenic and total lead were reported in soil samples exceeding MTCA Method A cleanup levels. CKD fill was estimated to be present between one and seven feet bgs, totaling an estimated 20,000 cubic yards on site.

In 2007, Ecology provided an opinion letter stating that further action is necessary for metals released into soil and groundwater associated with CKD.



Overflow - Site contamination and cleanup history

This SHARP is solely associated with metals contamination from CKD associated with CSID 17173. Petroleum contamination on the property related to historical fuel station operation between approximately 1955 and 1997 is associated with a separate CSID 6936. A separate SHARP for CSID 6936 reviews petroleum history and impacts on this property.

Groundwater depth has been reported between two and eight ft bgs and was 4.5 to 7 feet bgs and flows to the east/northeast.

